3 VOCABULARY cinema

a Match the words from the list to definitions 1–12.

action film animation ~~comedy~~ drama historical film horror film musical rom-com science fiction film thriller war film western

1 an amusing film that has a happy ending
comedy

2 a film that has a lot of exciting events, e.g. fights and car chases

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3 a film about imaginary events in the future

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4 a film with a serious story

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5 a film where the cast sing and dance

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6 a film with an exciting story, often about a crime

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7 a film based on real events in the past

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8 a scary film

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9 a film about soldiers fighting battles

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10 a film about life in the past in the US

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11 a film which is made with pictures that appear to move

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12 a funny film about love

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b Complete the sentences.

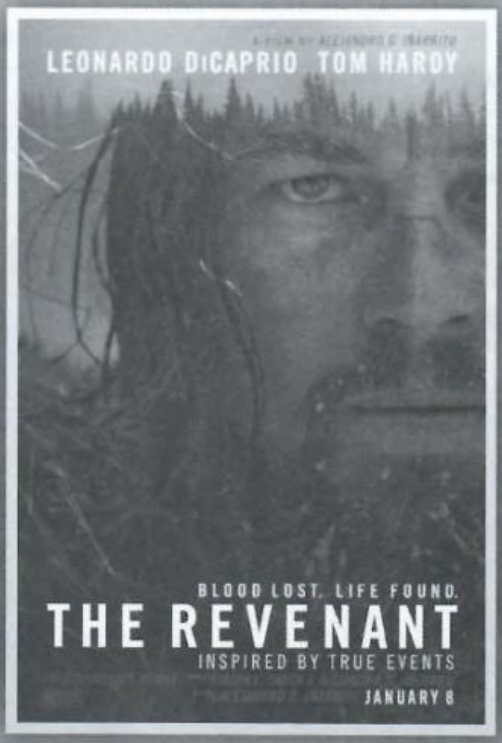
1 The star_____ of the film was a famous British actress.
2 I didn't understand the film because the pl_____ was very complicated.
3 The actor wanted to play the part as soon as he had read the sc_____.
4 Some of the a_____ were crying at the end of the film.
5 Most critics have given the film an excellent r_____.
6 They only had to shoot the sc_____ once.
7 It's a French film, but with English s_____.
8 You'll have to wait for the s_____ to find out what happens next.
9 My favourite s_____ is the music from *Guardians of the Galaxy*.
10 The best thing about the film was the sp_____ e_____. They were very realistic.
11 The director is looking for e_____ to act in the crowd scenes.
12 The c_____ was a mixture of British and American actors.
13 *The Times* film cr_____ didn't like the film at all.
14 The two actors first met on the s_____ of the film *La La Land*.
15 I've seen the tr_____, and it looks like a really interesting film.

c Complete the text with the phrases from the list.

is based on was directed by was dubbed into
plays the part of is set in was shot

THE REVENANT

The Revenant is a 2015 American western. It [1] *was directed by* Mexican film director Alejandro G. Iñárritu. The film [2] _____ the north-western part of the US. It [3] _____ a novel about the experiences of Hugh Glass, a man who lived in the area in the early 1800s. *The Revenant* [4] _____ on location in Canada, the US, and Argentina. Leonardo DiCaprio [5] _____ Hugh Glass and won an Academy Award for his performance. *The Revenant* was made in English, but it [6] _____ other languages.



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